

**NONPROVISIONAL PATENT  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

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- ☒ 24 pages of Specification/Claims 1-5/Abstract are attached.  
☒ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.  
☒ Priority of foreign application No. MI2002 A 001561 filed July 16, 2002 in Italy is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.  
☒ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:


FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA
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SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	FEE
	\$ 375
x 9 =	\$
x 42 =	\$
+140 =	\$
TOTAL	\$

LARGE ENTITY	
RATE	FEE
	\$ 750
x 18 =	\$
x 84 =	\$
+280 =	\$
TOTAL	\$ 750

- ☒ A check for the filing fee is not enclosed at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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